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Bro. W. K. McDonald, of the Banner, must have had a serious time last night, judging by what he passed off in a local contemporary this morning. Probably he was dreaming about Sanford. At all events he is evidently in need of medical attention. His article indicates that he is excited and on that account he is given plenty of rope. We will make no attempt whatever to follow him in his silly stuff. In regard to Mr. Rowell, if he made the statement attributed to him by Mr. McDonald, he is certainly placing himself in a very bad light. In the presence of both Mr. C. H. Campbell and Mr. Wright, standing at the corner of the Merchants' bank, he stated distinctly that he had not the least intention of going to Honduras, and the nearest he ever came to such a thing was a friend had tendered him a free pass in case he ever wanted to go. He seemed quite indignant over the newspaper mention that had been made of the matter, as did both Mr. Wright and Mr. Moody. In regard to making application to the editor of the Times-Union for the position of correspondent, we simply plead guilty and are not in the least ashamed of anything we wrote him. We are personally responsible for any and all public utterances we have ever made and have paid the full penalty wherever and whenever we have transgressed the law. The filthy and ungentlemanly use that has been made of a private correspondence sinks so far beneath decent journalism as to be unworthy a respectable consideration. But we trust our good brother will survive. Meanwhile the Star continues to shine brighter and grow as it never did before.

The local correspondent of the Times-Union in his account of the meeting of the democratic county executive committee said: "A full board of the executive committee was present." The fact is, there was only twelve of the twenty-six members present. One had died, one had resigned and the other twelve were represented by very uncertain proxies. When they voted to endorse the chairman's choice for county commissioner in the first district they no doubt labored under the impression that he had consulted at least a few democrats of the district. This is the reason there was no dissension.

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PENSACOLA, FLA.—On account of Woman's Christian Temperance Union, tickets will be sold on March 3, 4, 5, at one and one fourth fare for round trip, limited to March 10.

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